

Abstract

The invention relates to a reabsorbable hemostyptic self-adhering to human or animal tissue and essentially consisting of at least one polymer which carries free aldehyde groups and whose aldehyde groups are able to react with nucleophilic groups of the tissue, the hemostyptic being present in solid, in particular dry, porous and absorbent form, to a method for its production, and to the provision of the hemostyptic according to the invention for diverse medical indications.